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Burton Takes Slap at Congress' Action in Keynote Address - Platform About Ready

Atmosphere of Quiet Deliberation
Surrounds Opening Session of
Republican National
Convention

HOOVER GAINING

Other Booms Grow as Supporters
of Lowden Abandon Hope of
Naming Ex-Governor of Il-
linois for Second Place

(By the Associated Press.)
Cleveland, June 10.—In an atmosphere of quiet deliberation the Republican party today began the national convention that will nominate Calvin Coolidge and pledge a re-consecration to the cherished fundamentals of Republicanism.
The question of the vice presidential nomination alone remains undetermined among the major issues of the convention, but the movement to draft Frank O. Lowden appeared to be gaining with a considerable number of delegates in strength for Herbert Hoover. The instant supporters of the former Illinois governor almost lost hope when they heard that he had sent to Cleveland a letter of irrevocable declination, to be opened and read to the delegates at an attempt was made to stampede the convention into nominating him.
If Lowden is to be permitted to eliminate himself, the Hoover supporters are convinced that the drift of today's opening session gave evidence of an inexorable demand that the man finally selected for second place on the ticket be of a type undeniably in harmony with the policies of the President.
That qualification, they say, is possessed by Mr. Hoover in the highest degree.
The short convention session today did not actual work beyond ratifying a convention program prepared in advance, but by tonight all the committees, including that named to draft a platform, had completed most of their work with ease and regularity.

MILLERAND WILL QUIT POST TODAY

Adverse Vote in Senate and Cham-
ber Against Ministry Changes
Mind of President

(By the Associated Press.)
Paris, June 10.—Alexander Millerand, the 11th president of France, will resign from office tomorrow. His resignation will be read before both houses of parliament and his successor will be selected by the chamber of deputies and senate, meeting as a national assembly at Versailles Friday.
The president's determination to resign came after the reading today in the two houses of a presidential message presented by the new premier, Frederic Francois-Marshall, in which M. Millerand declined to resign and an adverse vote against the ministry by both chamber and senate and finally the adoption of a motion offered in the chamber by Edouard Herriot, leader of the radical Socialists, which in effect eliminated any government favorable to or suggested by M. Millerand.
This motion was adopted by the chamber, 329 to 214. The vote in the senate on the question of interpellation of the presidential crisis was 154 to 144 against the motion. M. Millerand's swift decision to resign in the face of these adverse votes leaves the victorious left majority in somewhat of a quandary, with two outstanding candidates, M. Doumergue, president of the senate, and M. Painleve, president of the chamber, rivals for the presidential nomination by the majority at a caucus to be held not later than Thursday.
The left majority in the chamber, 329, is larger than the senate's entire membership of 314, which would seem to bespeak certain victory for M. Painleve in the caucus and his election. But precedent favors the president of the senate, who is the second officer of state, being promoted in the regular line.

ALLEGED KLANSMAN BORROWED PISTOL

Trial of 44 Men in Connection
With Fatal Lilly, Pa.,
Riots Begins

(By the Associated Press.)
Ebensburg, Pa., June 10.—A pistol taken by officers from the Klan special train after its return to Johnstown was identified today at the trial of 44 men upon charges of rioting and unlawful assemblage as having been loaned to Roy Ripple, one of the defendants, said to be a klansman, a few days before the Lilly parade. A riot between villagers and visiting Klansmen occurred during the demonstration and three Lilly men met their death.
The day's testimony was devoted principally to the identification of the defendants, 27 of whom are said to be klansmen and the other 15 residents of Lilly. John Gross, Cambria county detective, and other officers testified of meeting the Klan special on its return to Johnstown, the arrest of all those on board and the confiscation of the pistols.
Joseph Trexel identified the pistol as his property and testified he had loaned it to Ripple before the Lilly parade. Officers who met the train testified that 42 pistols were taken from the train when it arrived in Johnstown. Some of them, they testified, were found on the alleged klansmen when arrested, but others were found in coaches. Only the one pistol was exhibited to the jury.

Party Principles Expected to Be
Ready for Presentation to
Convention Some Time
This Afternoon

DIVERGENT VIEWS

Sub-Committee Designated by Per-
sons Who Seek to Have Pet
Theories Incorporated in
Planks of Organization

Cleveland, June 10.—Preparation of a final draft of the platform which will be presented tomorrow to the Republican national convention has been entrusted to 16 members of the resolutions committee.
The sub-committee was instructed to present their conclusions to the full committee at 10 a. m. tomorrow for ratification. Charles B. Warren of Michigan, chairman of both the drafting and full committee, said tonight the report should be ready for the convention shortly after noon tomorrow.
Selection of the sub-committee, on motion of Mr. Madden, was agreed to after the full committee at a four and one-half hour hearing received suggestions for platform planks from more than half a hundred men and women.
The drafting committee was back at work again tonight, meeting this time in executive session, to hear any arguments other members of the committee desired to present. After this phase of the session had been concluded, actual work of revising the tentative platform structure whipped together during the last two days by some of the convention leaders was begun.
Want Specific Coolidge Views.
As a basis for its deliberations tonight, the drafting committee had tentative provisions before it which had the sanction of President Coolidge. It was indicated that before the platform takes final shape further views of the President would be sought by telephone, particularly as to the more important declarations in the instrument.
Immediately after the convention adjourned today, the resolutions committee met to receive suggestions from all comers. In rapid succession, three-minute speakers veered from the line of argument from Europe to the League of Nations and the World Court, across the wheat fields of the west, onto the Philippines and back again.
Some wanted berr and wine; others strict enforcement of the prohibition law as it now stands. The demands of organized labor were presented, as were aspirations of women for equal rights. Negro spokesmen were on hand to protest against alleged voting discriminations in the south and some urged in the north. Representatives of farmers came forward to plead for relief. Some tentative planks designed to aid business and industry also were laid before the committee.

ROYAL PRINCE WEDS ELEANOR M. GREEN

Second American Girl to Marry In-
to Reigning Royal Fam-
ily of Denmark

New York, June 10.—Miss Eleanor Margaret Green today became the bride of Prince Viggo Christian Adolph George of the royal house of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glücksburg, who reigns over the kingdom of Denmark.
The princess is the daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. James O. Green, granddaughter of the late Mayor Abraham S. Hewitt and great-granddaughter of Peter Cooper. Her marriage, which was performed by Bishop Manning in Calvary church, is unique among international marriages involving American born women, with one exception. The record shows several marriages of American heiresses to princes of royal houses, but none to members of a reigning house, except the marriage last February of Miss Lois F. Booth of Ottawa, to Prince Viggo's older brother, Prince Eric.
Prince Viggo, like his brother, by marrying a member of a non-royal family, relinquishes all rights of succession to the throne of Denmark for himself, his wife, and their heirs.
Oil Burning Electric Locomotive Successful.
New York, June 10.—A new oil burning electric freight locomotive was tested under actual working conditions in the 11th avenue freight yards of the New York Central here today by its designers and builders, the General Electric company and the Ingersoll-Rand company of Philadelphia. James McCaw, veteran New York Central railroad engineer, operating the locomotive after brief instructions, characterized it as the "simplest locomotive in the world to operate," and declared it was "cleaner and much better in every respect" than the ordinary type.
The construction embodies the 300-horsepower oil engine, driving a 300-horsepower electric motor, which is connected to the rear axle. Those who witnessed the test said the locomotive actually was smokeless, permitting operation in city districts and that it was run at a cost per hour of less than a quarter of that of a steam locomotive working light.

LACKS COURAGE OF ENOCH ARDEN

Return of Man Aboard 30 Years
Causes Break Up of Home
Established 23 Years

New York, June 10.—Failure of a modern Enoch Arden to act with the courage of his prototype and leave his wife when after an absence of 30 years he found her married to another, was scored today by Supreme Court Justice Dike of Brooklyn in annulling the marriage of Blanchard P. Atkinson and Isabelle E. Atkinson.
The man, whose return Justice Dike described as a tragedy, was Joseph H. Boyd, a ship captain, who married Mrs. Atkinson in Jersey City in 1881, deserting her in 1894.
While Atkinson, who brought the suit, alleged that his wife's first marriage had not been annulled when he married her in 1901, Justice Dike held that Mrs. Atkinson tried to find Boyd and that Atkinson himself believed Boyd dead.
"It is unfortunate for the defendant," Justice Dike said, "that Boyd, a physical and mental wreck, could not have had the herotom of the original Enoch Arden and after his years of cowardly absence done the one thing which would have repaid his wife for those days of abandonment on his part."
"The law allows but one husband. Marriage when there is no direct knowledge as to whether the first husband or wife is dead leaves the contracting parties with the sword of Damocles hanging over their heads, and constrained to give judgment for the plaintiff."

People Look to Coolidge, Not to
Senate and House for Lead-
ership - Utmost Confi-
dence in President

HONEST IN PURPOSE

None Among Great Array of Rul-
ers and Prime Ministers Can
Surpass Chief Executive,
Speaker Tells Delegates

(By the Associated Press.)
Cleveland, Ohio, June 10.—The Republican party was called upon today by Theodore L. Burton, Ohio, the temporary chairman of its national convention to rally about the leadership of Calvin Coolidge.
"The people—and all the people—have confidence in Calvin Coolidge," Representative Burton declared in sounding the keynote of the convention. "In the great array of rulers, kings, and prime ministers, intrusted with power, there is none who can surpass him in honesty of purpose, in courage, or in high devotion to the welfare of his country."
Mr. Burton asserted that "by far the greater share of our citizenship looks to President Coolidge rather than to congress for leadership," and urged the party to take its stand with Mr. Coolidge on all of the controversial issues which have arisen between the executive and some members of the Republican majority in congress.
He recommended that the party declare for American adherence to the world court with merely the Harding-Hughes reservations. He regretted that congress refused to accede to Mr. Coolidge's wishes in enacting the Japanese exclusion provision of the Immigration bill. He declared the new tax abounded in defects and should not be taken as the last word in tax revision. He "disclaimed enactment of the bonus bill over the President's veto with the assertion that 'conditions created by it must be met' and the assurance that it was 'wisely accepted.'"

Quickest of Conversations.
The keynote address by Theodore Burton, Ohio, notable for its serious and dispassionate tenor and its lack of forensic display and built around an appeal to the party to uphold the hands of the man in the White House.

There was little of the usual confusion and noise of the previous making that often has played so great a part in American political history. Only three times was there any approach to a demonstration, and in each case the cheering was awakened by a play upon the chord of party solidarity and Republican tradition.

The greatest outburst, lasting but a minute, took place when Mr. Burton declared the country trusted Calvin Coolidge above congress and pleaded for the election of senators and representatives who would work and vote within the party fold.

The convention came to its feet again when Secretary Mellon, whose tax plan was to feature in a Republican congress, arose to make a polite mention relating to convention organization.

Again, and for the last time today, the great arched ceiling of the convention hall rumbled with a roll of cheering when the presiding officer led to the front of the platform Addison G. Proctor of St. Joseph, Mich., the last survivor of the delegates who accompanied Abraham Lincoln 64 years ago.

Platform Virtually Complete.
After they had thus voiced their adherence to past traditions and present leadership of their party, the delegates began filing to their hotels without waiting to hear a glee club concert that was to proceed adjournment. Tomorrow they will listen to speeches.

Frank W. Mondell, Wyoming, as permanent chairman, so through the motions of setting delegate contests along lines already worked out, and perhaps revise and adopt the platform on which the presidential and vice presidential nominations will be made on Thursday.

Today's adjournment was followed by an afternoon of public hearings in the platform committee at which statements were heard for and against dozens of the projects of national organizations who have sent representatives to the political conventions for years. But for the most part the platform already had been whipped into shape and needs only the formal approval of the committee to bring it before the convention.

The suggested platform of the La Follette delegates from Wisconsin, dealing for public ownership of railroads and water resources and for farm relief and a dozen other sweeping environmental changes, was one of the proposals placed before the committee tonight as its work approached completion. Even the Wisconsin delegates themselves, however, did not hope that it would gather as any material following.
Except for the receipt of Mr. Lowden's letter and the consequent discussion of a good part of the day, the day's session was devoted to the consideration of the suggestions of the party leaders generally and a final decision was yet to be made. The only other notable speech was that of Senator Charles G. Dawes, Senator from Ohio, who said that the party should stand for the principles of the Declaration of Independence.

brokerage concern in New York city, walked into a bank here today, deposited \$15,000 worth of negotiable bonds, saying he had been kidnapped by bandits in New York a week ago. He said he managed to recover the loot.

TRACKLESS TROLLEYS POPULAR.
Rochester, June 10.—Increasing popularity of the trackless trolley is reflected in the quarterly report of Railway Commissioner Charles F. Barnes, filed tonight with the common council, showing a substantial gain in the number of passengers carried on the trackless cars.

dent Burton of Michigan university, and a dozen others, but none appeared to have the recognized and widespread backing that has been given to the boom for Mr. Hoover.

LOWDEN DEFINITELY OUT; HARBORD'S NAME APPEARS

Cleveland, June 10.—Frank O. Lowden has succeeded in eliminating himself from serious consideration for the Republican vice presidential nomination and as a result the party leaders are making a determined 11th hour effort to agree on a running mate for President Coolidge.
The immediate result of Mr. Lowden's removal from his place at the head of the long list of possibilities, was to advance into new positions of prominence the candidacies of James G. Harbord, a former deputy chief of staff of the army and now head of the Radio Corporation of America; Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce, and Charles Curtis of Kansas, Republican whip of the senate.
In addition, several of the original candidates, including Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana, were given a new boost in the hope that with a broken field there might be a dark horse selection.

Lowden Supporters Abandon Hope.
The whole situation was discussed for nearly three hours late in the day at a conference in the quarters of Secretary Weeks, attended by most of the members of President Coolidge's cabinet who are here, leaders of the senate and house, and chiefs of several state delegations. Another discussion of the same matter took place in the suite of Frank W. Stewart, personal representative of President Coolidge, and several powerful moves were reached definitely but the result seemed to be a turn in the tide which has been running during the week.

The last hope of those who have been virtually hoping against hope for two days that former Governor Lowden might reconsider his declaration of Sunday that he would not accept the nomination was shattered today when a sealed letter arrived from the former Illinois governor with instructions that it be opened and read should his name be presented to the convention. It became known that the letter was a flat note of declination.
A rising tide for General Harbord became noticeable after the conference in the suite of Secretary Weeks and after delegates to the convention who had endorsed the leader of the moderate brigade at Belton woods.

Albany, June 10.—The New York state action in paying \$8,000,000 in indemnities for slaughtered tuberculosis cattle is much like locking the door after the horse is stolen. Governor Smith told the fifth annual Eastern state conference on eradication of tuberculosis in live stock at the opening session here today. The governor declared that if cattlemen would study the problem with a view to ascertaining the source of the disease they might be able to save the state large amounts of money now expended in indemnities and at the same time preserve the herds. He advocated an educational campaign along the lines of similar campaigns conducted by the state department of health.

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GIRL MISSING; SAILORS' CASES MAY BE DISMISSED

Premont, Wash. June 10.—A defense demand that the prosecution produce "the woman in the case" halted the general court martial yesterday of 15 blue-jackets of the United States battleship Arizona, charged with smuggling a 19-year-old girl, dressed as a sailor, on board the ship at New York last April before the vessel sailed for San Diego, Cal. The request was taken under advisement.
The girl's last name is unknown to prosecuting officers. She was discovered at Panama, Canal Zone, and purchased at "Madeline." It was disclosed that she desired to enter the movies, using that method as the best to get to Hollywood, Cal.

BIG Eruption Expected.

(By the Associated Press.)
Hilo, T. H., June 10.—Professor T. H. Jagger, the volcanologist, who hurried back here to observe the eruption of Kilauea, is of the opinion that a big explosion of the volcano is imminent. The cracks in the floor of the pit have widened since yesterday and there have been numerous earthquakes.

DIRIGIBLE TO STAY NEAR HOME

Washington, June 10.—The navy airship Shenandoah will not fly to Cleveland during the Republican national convention. It was announced today by Rear Admiral Moffett, chief of the bureau of naval aeronautics. Shorter test flights will occupy the airship for the next two weeks and the longer flights will be deferred.

TEST PILOT KILLED

Suffridge Field, Mich., June 10.—Lieutenant John Wilson, a test pilot at Suffridge field, was shot today when the airplane he was piloting suddenly went into a tailspin and crashed to the ground from a height of approximately 1,000 feet. His home was in Charlestown, N. C.

TUBERCULOSIS NEEDS STUDY

Governor Says Killing Diseased
Cattle Ineffective, Cause
Must Be Ascertained

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WORLD COME TO FALL AND DAUGHTERY

Governor Blaine of Wisconsin, one of the delegates pledged to Senator La Follette, laid before the committee resolutions made public yesterday, which, among other things, called upon President Coolidge to call congress into special session and condemn the official acts of former Attorney General Daugherty and Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior.

Taking exception to Governor Blaine's remarks and the resolution he presented, E. J. Adams, Oregon member of the committee, moved that they be stricken from the record. Chairman Warren, however, ruled that Adams' motion was out of order, inasmuch as the committee had agreed to hear all comers and could condemn neither the statements nor the manner of delivery of anyone.

After P. M. Chavers and Alfred H. Bland, both of whom had introduced a plank giving "better protection" to banking business and industry, the committee began the consideration of agricultural problems, asking for platform suggestions.

Speakers representing the American Farm Bureau federation were first heard. They wanted a pledge to help return the purchasing power of agriculture to normal and for the general betterment of conditions in the agricultural industry.

A delegation representing the National Woman's party used a plank pledging the party to adoption of an equal rights for women amendment to the constitution.

The World Court plank in the platform, Henry W. Taft, New York, a brother of the chief justice of the United States supreme court, told the committee, should be a clear cut endorsement of the Harding-Hughes Coolidge plan.

Several Flights in Progress.
Another who urged American participation in the World Court was Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale, who declared himself in favor of membership in the United States in the League of Nations was growing.

Lewis H. Smith, congressman from California, announced he would submit a plank favoring the control of food waters of the Mississippi and Colorado rivers; the opening of our intra-coastal waterways; and the development of the great power and navigation project of the St. Lawrence river.
Creation of a federal department

of education was urged by Dr. George W. Strayer of Columbia university. It became apparent tonight that regardless of the decisions made by the sub-committee, several fights over specific issues were in prospect when the full committee meets tomorrow morning.

Some of the committee members wanted to go to the length of supporting in definite terms the policies of President Coolidge, which have met with opposition in congress and desire to see a plank adopted condemning in plain terms the bonus law, the senate foreign relations committee World Court plan, and the failure of congress to follow the advice of the executive regarding postponement of Japanese exclusion.

La Follette Group Has Platform.
Cleveland, June 10.—A proposed platform embodying the views of the La Follette insurgents was placed before the Republican resolutions committee today by the Wisconsin delegation. It declares the paramount issue today to be the rescue of government and industry from the grip of private monopoly; pledges a house cleaning in the government departments in Washington, and proposes reform of railroad, tax, tariff, banking, conservation, and agricultural legislation.

Public ownership of railroads and waterpower is advocated, the Mellon tax plan is condemned, and conservation of our natural resources is urged and protection farm cooperative organizations and to lower farm freight rates.

Howland Breaks Rules Committee.
Cleveland, June 10.—Paul Howland of Cleveland was elected today as chairman of the rules committee of the Republican national convention in place of Senator Ernest Kentucky, whose selection for the place was announced last week by William H. Butler, pre-convention campaign manager for President Coolidge.

This was the only instance in which the state of officers for the various committees was announced by Mr. Butler. Mr. Howland is a member of the Ohio delegation and was of counsel representing former Attorney General Daugherty before the senate committee investigating the department of justice.

Veteran Members Unmanned.
(By the Associated Press.)
Cleveland, June 10.—Robert H. Todd of San Juan, P. R., oldest member in record of service on the Republican national committee, and Mont Reilly of Kansas City, former governor of the island, were unseated as delegates to the national convention tonight by the credentials committee.

John Sato and Ramon Vaden, who arrived here today from Porto Rico, were seated in their place. Sato was elected an national committeeman to succeed Todd, whose absence has been noted ever more than 19 years.

SHORTAGE OF FUNDS WILL DELAY BONUS

Washington Departments Expected
to Get Along the Best They
Can Until December

Washington, June 10.—Government plans for distribution of the soldier bonus, upset by the failure of congress to appropriate needed funds, were hung up tonight on the legal question whether the war and navy departments and the Veterans bureau may use money appropriated for general purposes.

President Coolidge has ordered Director Lord of the budget to exert every possible means of carrying out the plans and the director has a dozen conferences today with officials of the three arms of the government which have charge of the work.

The discussions apparently left the problem unsolved, although the war department gave notice of its intention to go ahead, using unexpended balances from several activities and planning to have these funds replaced when congress convenes next winter.

Director Lord counseled war department and Veterans bureau officials today to "struggle along" in completing the plan, using such checks as could be spared from other work. In event that is done, the war department will be delayed about six weeks in perfecting its war records of the men who are to receive the bonus, for the task is one of the greatest ever attempted by any government agency, officials declared.

MAY JOIN SOUTHERN PACIFIC

New York, June 10.—Negotiations for linking the property of the Southern Pacific and El Paso & Southwestern railroads virtually has been completed, T. M. Scanlon, president of the El Paso, announced today.
No formal contract has yet been executed by the two railroads, Mr. Scanlon said, but an agreement has not therefore been made public. Application to the Interstate Commerce commission for its authorization of the transaction will be made as soon as the agreement is finally completed, he added.

NARROWLY ESCAPED INJURY

Nagsburg, Conn., June 10.—Four people narrowly escaped serious injury here late today when an automobile containing Mrs. Benjamin Litchman and her son, Alfred, of Amherst, N. Y., Morris Glick of Nagsburg, N. Y., and Harry Newkirk, a chauffeur, collided with another car, left the road, turned over in a ditch, and then struck a tree. No one was injured.

VAN SUTHE OFFERED NEW POST

Syracuse, June 10.—The new post of superintendent of prison industry created by the last legislature, has been offered to E. L. Van Suth, an old prison expert formerly connected with the State Prison company.
Mr. Van Suth resigned June 1 and went to Rochester where he is engaged in business. He could not be reached to determine whether he will accept the offer.

SHARP FREE WHEELER

Baltimore, June 10.—Bishop Fisher, who has been serving 31 for two weeks, was reported slowly making tonight. He suffered a collapse at 4 o'clock this afternoon and his recovery is being watched closely by the hospital staff.

Wants Real G. O. P. Congress.
Much of the blame visited upon Republicans in the session of congress just ended, he told the convention, however, "is not deserved because on many major questions their party has not commanded a majority in either branch."

Enumerating the achievements of the Republican party in its stewardship of national affairs in the past four years, he paid high tribute to the memory of President Harding, told of the accomplishments under his leadership, and pronounced this benediction:
"Rest, wearied spirit, rest in peace, secure in the lasting remembrance which belongs to the immortal."

Varied and numerous were the accomplishments cited by Mr. Burton, ranging from the achievements of the arms conference and American unofficial participation in the work of the reparations experts committee through the field of domestic activity resulting from legislation and executive undertakings. He pronounced it a record on which the party proudly could take its stand. "Confident that when the ballots are cast in November in numbers like the falling leaves of autumn this nation will elect Calvin Coolidge with a Republican congress and again crown our efforts with victory, thereby assuring a yet more splendid future of progress and peace."

No League Entry Yet.
Turning to the future, the convention chairman declared economy in public expenditures and reduction of taxes to be of the utmost importance and that "an active campaign of education must be conducted similar to that in the free-silver contest in 1906." Such a campaign, he added, must be conducted by the party.

Pointing the way in domestic affairs still further, he inveighed against any tinkering with the federal reserve system, advocated an intelligent policy of conservation, with "no hundred-year franchises," nor any grant of resources needed by the nation for its future protection, declared for sane regulation rather than government control of public utilities, and expressed the hope that there be left to the individual the greatest possible equality of opportunity and to the states the broadest field of activity in their proper sphere.

Including our foreign relations as assuming an importance never known before," Mr. Burton declared members of the Republican party were "by no means lacking in interest in what is happening in the rest of the world now and are willing to cooperate in the most friendly way with less fortunate nations."

"We have refused to join the League of Nations, and this is in full accord with the wishes of the vast majority of the American people, as I believe," he added. "So long as the League remains a political body, inevitably dominated by the largest nations of Europe, partnered with the traditions of age-long animosity, membership is not for us."

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Baseball

AND OTHER INTERESTING EVENTS IN THE SPORT WORLD

AMERICAN LEAGUE

YANKEES BLANK ST. LOUIS

Overcrowd Crowd Turns Out in Honor of Baker—Score 5 to 0.

St. Louis, June 10.—Dixie Davis failed to hold the New York Yankees in check and the Browns were shut out today, 5 to 0. In the fourth and final game of the series.

A crowd of 20,000 overflowed the park in honor of George Baker, popular Brown playing manager, who was awarded a handsomely mounted certificate designating him the most valuable American league player in 1923.

The United States Blimps TC-1 and TC-2 circled over the field, from the first of which two base balls were dropped. Ruth caught one and George Grant caught the other.

R. H. F.
New York . . . 020 020 001—5 7 2
St. Louis . . . 000 000 000—0 4 2
Batteries—Hunt and Schanz; Davis, Vangilder and Severid.

PITCH HITTERS WIN GAME

Cleveland Makes Necessary Two Runs in Last Half of Ninth.

Cleveland, June 10.—A pinch single by Larry Gardner, and a pinch double by George Uhle aided in winning today's game from Washington in the ninth inning, 4 to 3.

R. H. F.
Washington . . . 000 001 020—3 9 0
Cleveland . . . 000 100 102—4 11 0
Batteries—Marberry, Zachary and Hurl; Smith and Mays.

MACKMEN DEFEAT TIGERS

Athletics Win Game in Last Round by Three-Run Rally.

Detroit, June 10.—Scoring three runs in a ninth-inning rally, Philadelphia defeated Detroit in the last game of the series, 4 to 3.

R. H. F.
Philadelphia . . . 000 001 003—4 9 0
Detroit . . . 000 000 120—3 9 2
Batteries—Harris, Baumgarner and Perkins; Bruggy, Holloway, Damm and Basler.

CHICAGO WINS IN 18TH

Bob Falk Puts Out Circuit Drive with Nemo Out—Game Tied in Ninth.

Chicago, June 10.—Bob Falk's home run with none out in the 13th gave the Sox a 3 to 2 victory over Boston today. Piercy was hit hard but the low count against him was due to fast fielding. Crenshaw and Schalk gave way to pinch hitters who tied the score in the ninth.

R. H. F.
Boston . . . 100 000 010 000—3 4 1
Chicago . . . 001 000 001 000—3 13 0
Batteries—Piercy and O'Neill; McWeeny, Crenshaw and Schalk.

EASTERN LEAGUE

New Haven, 2-7-0; Bridgeport, 11-15-3 (1st game).

New Haven, 5-7-1; Bridgeport, 11-15-3 (2nd game).

Worcester, 5-10-5; Pittsfield, 13-12-0 (1st game).

Worcester, 5-10-0; Pittsfield, 2-7-0 (2nd game).

Waterbury, 5-13-2; Albany, 2-4-1 (1st game).

Waterbury, 7-21-2; Albany, 8-12-3 (2nd game).

Springfield, 8-7-4; Hartford, 7-7-2.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Syracuse, 1-9-3; Jersey City, 3-13-0 (1st game).

Rochester, 6-7-4; Newark, 10-12-0 (1st game).

Rochester, 7-13-2; Newark, 10-12-0 (2nd game, 7 innings).

Toronto, 10-9-2; Baltimore, 9-16-1.

Buffalo, 10-14-0; Hartford, 4-7-1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

No games scheduled.

NEW YORK-P.A. LEAGUE

Williamstown 7, Wilkes-Barre 3 (1st game).

Saratoga 13; Elmira 4.

Ringhamton 12; York 4.

Ulster 2; Harrisburg 1.

SCHEDULE OF TODAY'S GAMES

American League.

New York at Detroit.

Washington at St. Louis.

Philadelphia at Chicago.

Boston at Cleveland.

National League.

Chicago at Brooklyn.

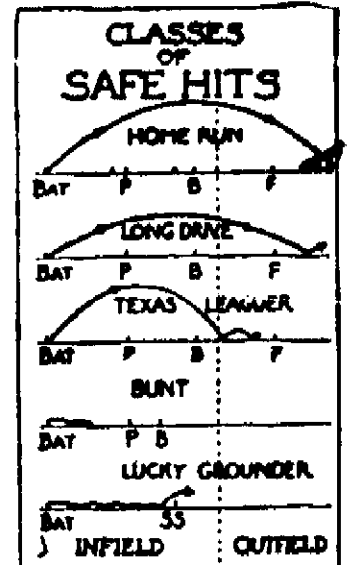
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.

Pittsburgh at New York.

St. Louis at Boston.

Baseball

AS BIG LEAGUERS PLAY IT



What are the chief classes of safe hits?

Answered by KEN WILLIAMS

Outfielder, St. Louis Browns, Batted .357 last season. One of the most reliable players in the national game.

I should say that there were five principal classes of safe hits and that they might be divided as follows:

1. Home run—the smashing blow which goes into the bleachers or over the fence.

2. The long drive—a hard hit ball which may be good for one, two, three or four bases.

3. The "Texas Leaguer"—a fly ball just beyond the range of the infield and just short of the range of the outfield.

4. The bunt—a measly little tap which depends principally on its surprise element and its difficulty in handling for success.

5. The lucky infield hit—this is the one which hits a pebble or a tuft of grass and defects off toward the infielder's head on a bounce. Of course, some infield rollers are hit so hard that they would go for safe hits without this element of luck entering in.

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DIAMOND CHIPS

Not a bad game at all.

That ninth inning rally put all the Onontas fans on edge.

Walsh adds perfection as a pinch hitter to his other accomplishments.

Muscle Shoals is going to wrestle again. He is anxious for a bout.

Cooper had a most puzzling delivery and the Giants were awing wildly for the ball after the first inning.

Roy Thomas came through with two bingles. As a "has been" he makes a darned good "it."

Lefty Davis: "Lobes, I saw you last summer in Detroit."

Lefty: "I never was in Detroit."

Lefty: "I never was either. Must have been two other fellows."

"Chapman Johnson frequently: 'When day man Cooper throws 'em overboard you all can't even see 'em.'"

Chapman, your truthfulness is really astonishing.

Another Chapmanism: "Get all the runs you can, boys." They did, four of them.

And the four of a kind beat Onontas's triplet.

Pull up the emergency, boys. The team batting average is sliding down hill.

No work today. If it rains the Giants will go fishing. If it doesn't they won't.

D. D. Brown is getting peeved because his name hasn't appeared in this here column in several days. Looks as how the chipper must be asleep.

Chapman, D. D., the worst is yet to come.

Glens Falls here Thursday and Friday Larry Doyle is again at the helm and among his deckhands are Alexander the Great, one-time Giant, and Antidiluvian Andy Marone, he of a good opinion of a certain ball player.

Sick 'em, Giants. Go get 'em. Flip 'em up.

That's all there is—there isn't any more.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

PIRATES WIN IN NINTH

Start Five-Run Rally After Two Had Been Retired, Beating Giants 10 to 6.

New York, June 10.—With two out in the ninth and Pittsburgh one run behind, Pinch Hitter Higbee drew a walk, and the Pirates scored five runs with a volley of hits and defeated the Giants, 10 to 6. Bentley pitched good ball until the eighth when he weakened with a four-run lead.

R. H. F.
Pittsburgh . . . 000 100 045—10 14 2
New York . . . 001 001 010—6 11 1
Batteries—Kramer, Yde, Stone, Morrison and Schmidt; Gochi; Bentley, Jonnard, Barnes, Maun and Snyder, Goudy.

HOME RUNS BIG FACTOR

Cincinnati Gets Three of Four Runs By Circuit Clouts and Beats Phillies.

Philadelphia, June 10.—Three home runs by Cincinnati batters enabled the Reds to take another game from Philadelphia today, by a score of 4 to 2. None were on base when any of the circuit clouts were made.

R. H. F.
Cincinnati . . . 100 210 000—4 11 1
Philadelphia . . . 100 000 010—2 8 0
Batteries—Donohue and Wingo; Glanzer, Carlson and Wilson.

JESS BARNES VERY EFFECTIVE

Shuts Out St. Louis After First Round, Boston Winning 6 to 2.

Boston, June 10.—Jess Barnes shut out St. Louis after the first inning and Boston won, 6 to 2, today. The first three men to face Barnes singled and three hits combined with Spurrer's error produced the visitors' runs. Boston drove Bell from the box in its half of the first inning.

R. H. F.
St. Louis . . . 200 000 000—2 8 0
Boston . . . 300 001 024—6 11 1
Batteries—Bell, Dyer and Gonzalez; Barnes and Gibson.

RUETHER IN FINE FORM

Fans Fight Cubs and Otherwise Holds Chicago Hitlers in Check.

Brooklyn, June 10.—Ruether fanned eight Cubs and otherwise held them in check today, Brooklyn winning its second straight game, 4 to 2. Griffith's triple with two on base sewed up the game in the fourth inning.

R. H. F.
Chicago . . . 000 001 001—2 9 0
Brooklyn . . . 100 200 014—4 9 1
Batteries—Keen, Blake, Pierce and Hartnett; Ruether and Taylor.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League				
	W	L	P.C.	
New York	30	18	.625	
Chicago	28	20	.583	
Brooklyn	25	20	.556	
Cincinnati	25	22	.529	
Pittsburgh	21	25	.457	
St. Louis	19	29	.396	
Philadelphia	15	28	.343	
American League				
	W	L	P.C.	
Boston	25	18	.581	
New York	23	22	.511	
Detroit	22	22	.500	
St. Louis	22	23	.489	
Washington	21	24	.467	
Chicago	20	23	.465	
Cleveland	19	24	.442	
Philadelphia	18	26	.409	

Baseball at Edmeston.

Edmeston will make its 1924 bow to the public on the home grounds Saturday, June 14, with the strong St. Johnsville team as opponents. Edmeston had a very fast team last year, winning 25 out of 28 games played, and the management feels confident that it has a much stronger aggregation this year.

With beautiful grounds, a commodious grand stand for which no charge is made, plenty of parking space, this is an ideal place to spend an afternoon.

RADIO NOTES

The National Republican convention, which starts today, will have a much larger audience than political conventions have had heretofore. Fourteen cities in all will have broadcasting stations connected by telephone lines to the proceeding in the auditorium at Cleveland. The immense crowds which will gather outside of the hall, unable to gain admittance, will be taken care of by loud speakers enabling them to hear the cheering and voting as they occur. A glass compartment has been installed on the platform and an announcer will be on duty during the entire proceedings. Programs are scheduled to start at 11 a. m. each day.

The following is a list of the stations:

WEAF, New York city, 432 meters.
WCAP, Washington, 469 meters.
WGB, Buffalo, 219 meters.
WGBA, Pittsburgh, 224 meters.
WGN, Chicago, 278 meters.
WJAX, Cleveland, 280 meters.
WWTM, Cleveland, 226 meters.
KSP, St. Louis, 246 meters.
WPAF, Kansas City, 411 meters.
WGY, Schenectady, 253 meters.
WJZ, New York City, 422 meters.
WJAR, Providence, R. I., 340 meters.
WLW, Cincinnati, 209 meters.
WRAI, Cincinnati, 269 meters.
WLAG, Minneapolis, 417 meters.
WQAW, Omaha, 324 meters.
KFKX, Hastings, Neb., 244 meters.
WMAF, Fort Worth, 475 meters.
WAP, Atlanta, 429 meters.

Given 30 days at labor for City.

When Edward Baldwin of this city was arraigned before Judge Van Weert in city court Monday morning he pleaded not guilty through his attorney, John C. Johnson, and upon the adjournment of the court, Donald L. Grand representing the city, he was committed to 30 days at hard labor in the service of the Board of Public Works of the city.

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Time Will Tell

By Fog Murray

STARTED OFF WELL—
BUT WILL THEY LAST?



DUDLEY LEE—SHORTSTOP, BOSTON RED SOX

Dudley Lee and Ray Kremer started off in their second attempts in the Big Leagues quite auspiciously. Both of these players, it will be remembered, had trials in the big show before—Lee four years ago with the Browns and Kremer about nine years ago with the Giants. Lee's difficulty was his hitting, and when Bob Quinn bought him he figured that he would be more than worth the \$30,000 paid Tulsa for him if he would hit 250 in the American league. Mr. Lee started out finely, and looked like the best shortstop seen in Boston since the days of Everett Scott. Now the experts are beginning to say he won't

last, and to pick flaws in his work. They say he'll do it if he bats .260 or .265—and Dudley is far below those figures at present, but for a while had an injured mitt as an alibi.

Kremer, the wizard of the Coast league, looks like a real find, and his underhand delivery has made lots of trouble for the National leaguers. Besides keeping the ferocious Cubs to two hits in one game, he pitched two shut-outs in his first five starts. A very good start—yes—but can he keep it up?

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COLORED STARS WIN AGAIN

Cooper Effective After First Round Only Error by Onontas Costly, as Were Three of the Four Charged Against the Visitors.

Once more the Colored Stars under the management of Chappie Johnson proved victors in a contest with Onontas, winning yesterday's fracas by a 4 to 2 score. All of Onontas's and two of the Stars' runs came in the first period of play. After this round the locals got but five hits, no two of which came in the same inning. Also the visitors, who had been chalked up with three misplays in the first inning, permitted but one slip to occur after the opening stanza.

Howard, first up, hit to short, who fumbled. He rested on first while two of his team mates were retired via the aerial route, but took third on Ewing's double to center and scored on a single by Dean, as did Ewing, the hitter taking second on the throw in. Dean stole third, Johnson was passed and stole second, Dean endeavored to score on the play, but was caught at the home station.

The Onontas club pushed their three runs of the game after this in their half and for a time it looked as if the one-run margin might be sufficient for a victory. Wilcox touched the first one offered for a single into left and scored when Fitch cracked a double to the same territory. Harner, hit to short, who fumbled the pellet and then threw wild to first with the result that Fitch scored and Harner rested on second. Thus the score was tied. Eckstein grounded, Lobes got a life on the second sacker's fumble. A two-base hit put Harner across with the third ball ringer. Lobes going to second, Roche forced the manager at second, but put Lobes on third. Sluslack fled out to short.

Lodestor hit Fitch with the first pitch in the fifth, the captain of the dusky clan going to third when Cooper singled through first base. Howard was out on a foul fly, but Warmack got a single to right, the tying run being gathered in by Perry.

Dean opened the sixth with a triple after two strikes had been called on him and scored when Hobson got a safe drive for one sack. The latter was caught trying to steal second. Fels fled to right and Perry got a double, but did at second as Cooper fled to Harner.

Thomas used Walsh as a pinch hitter for Sluslack, first man up, in the ninth and he came across with a single. Boylan took up the batting burden of Lodestor and laid down a fine hunt for a sacrifice, but Wilcox fanned and Fitch fled to left, thus closing the incident.

The box score:

Colored Stars (4) AB R H PO A F
Howard, ss . . . 5 1 0 2 2 0
Warmack, lf . . . 4 0 1 0 0 0
H. Johnson, rf . . . 4 0 1 1 0 0
Ewing, cf . . . 4 1 2 0 0 0
Dean, 2b . . . 4 1 2 0 0 0
Fels, cf . . . 2 0 1 2 2 0
Perry, lb . . . 2 1 2 0 0 0
Cooper, p . . . 4 0 1 0 2 0
Totals . . . 24 4 10 22 8 4

Onontas (2)

Wilcox, lf . . . 5 1 2 2 0 0
Fitch, 2b . . . 5 1 1 2 3 0
Harner, ss . . . 4 1 1 2 2 1
Eckstein, cf . . . 4 0 2 0 0 0
Lobes, lb . . . 4 0 2 1 0 0
Thomas, rf . . . 3 0 2 0 0 0
Roche, 2b . . . 4 0 1 2 0 0
Sluslack, cf . . . 2 0 0 0 0 0
Walsh, p . . . 1 0 1 0 0 0
Lodestor, p . . . 3 0 1 1 0 0
Boylan . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals . . . 26 3 5 27 14 1

* Batted for Sluslack in ninth.

** Batted for Lodestor in ninth.

Scores by innings:

Colored Stars . . . 200 011 000—3

Onontas . . . 300 000 000—3

Earned runs—Colored Stars 2, Onontas 1. Two base hits—Ewing, Fitch, Perry. Three base hit—Dean. First base on balls—O'Lodestor 1, Sluslack 1, Cooper 2, by Lodestor 1. Left on bases—Colored Stars 4, Onontas 1. First out on errors—Colored Stars 1, Onontas 2. Hit by pitcher—by Lodestor 2 (Perry, Thomas). Struck batters—Dean, Hobson, Fern Sacrifice, Harner, Thomas, Ewing. Total of Batters—134. Umpire—Griffin.

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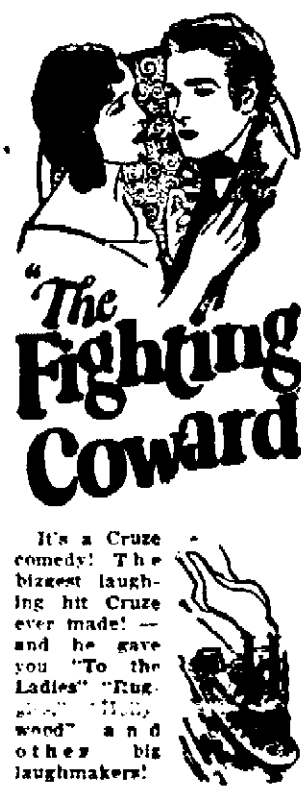
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CURRENT COMMENT.

Commenting on a race the other day between a farm dog which tried to out foot a driver in a road race, the driver of the latter stopping harder on the gas as the dog came near, a bystander commented: "What a fool dog!" But it's no question which was the greater fool—dog or driver. The one for all his chasing the car, kept a little in the rear all the time and in fact never endangered his own life nor that of anyone else. The driver of the car endangered the lives of all whom in his reckless way he might chance to meet, and also those of his wife and two children. The dog was foolish, but the man was a fool.

With sunset today or sometime tomorrow the Republican nomination for president will no doubt be definitely fixed, all the preliminaries of organization and of oratory being completed. There is no question who will be the successful candidate for the highest office. There is no one else near enough to Coolidge to be considered in the race; but when it comes to the vice presidency matters are different. Several candidates have been presented, and the merit of each has been considered, and it is not impossible that whatever of brevity there may be in the choice for president, that for vice president will make up for it.

For the latter office Governor Landon of Illinois has definitely stated that he is not a candidate, and that he will not accept the office. This may be his present conviction, but never in the history of the country has any man delivered the nomination for the second highest office, which moreover held a considerable degree of promise for the presidency itself. Landon may not receive the nomination, albeit his own state positively declares that he will have the support of his own and other states; but if he does it may be noted that Roosevelt didn't want the office and accepted the nomination reluctantly, being inspired by the conviction that he could not turn it down. Accordingly he accepted, and that acceptance was undoubtedly the first step in a national career of dignity, honor and distinction. One may not want the second place but there are mighty few turning it down.

Club life in colleges, which has been early collegiate days been somewhat different from similar life anywhere else, is to give a jolt when the new Princeton system goes into effect. The main features of the change is to do away with the artificial attractions of the upper class clubs and to make them eating clubs merely, similar to what club life is elsewhere. From this time the upper classmen will not select the men who will belong, but the lower classmen themselves will select their clubs. They will be free to apply for membership, the clubs merely acting on these applications. From the merely business standpoint of having a place to eat, which is after all a social and secondary consideration, the new system may be all right, but it removes that incentive for high standing in scholarship or athletics if one can gain coveted society recognition merely by asking for it.

The General Federation of Women's clubs, which is representative of two million, seven hundred thousand women of the country, has just awarded a prize for the best essay on "What Do We Want From the Publishers?" What is wanted is gunpowder in the statement that they want poetry that sings and makes us feel, fiction that is true to life but not nasty, and books that point a moral leaving the reader to make his own deductions.

There are many people who if asked what were the most valuable of mineral products mined in the United States during the past year would put gold first and silver second, thereby falling down on his estimates, since the three most valuable products were coal, iron and petroleum, all being worth more than the billion dollar mark. Silver in fact stands ninth and gold tenth on the list, the value of the latter, which was \$15,000,000 being only enough to pay each individual in Oneonta county about a thousand dollars. It should be noted, however, that coal and petroleum, two of the three leaders, do not add directly to the permanent wealth of the nation, since they are destroyed in combustion, while the silver and gold, not being used to a great extent commercially, and even then much cherished, remain as a part of the national wealth.

Walton Fair Re-organized.
At a meeting of the stockholders of the reorganized Walton Fair association held in Walton last Monday evening a committee of six was appointed to canvass for further stock subscriptions and report at a meeting next Monday, when it is expected officers will be elected. The members of the committee are O. J. Howe, H. C. McKee, R. Q. Smith, Robert George, Charles White and H. M. Robinson. About \$10,000 of the stock has been subscribed for, mostly by Walton business men. It is desired to have \$15,000 subscribed, which will pay the present cost of necessary repairs and have a substantial working fund. With proper management there is no reason why substantial dividends may not be secured on the stock. It is hoped that the farmers, upon whose conversion the success of the fair depends, will subscribe for much of the remaining stock and insure the continuance of the fair—Walton Reporter.

COUNTY SPELLING BEE

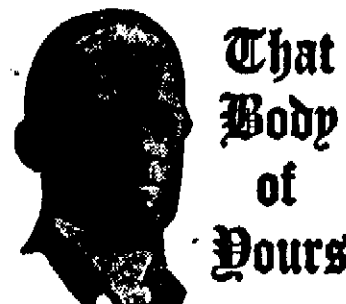
Floyd White of Oneonta Wins First Place Among Twenty-Four Contestants With Chance to Compete at State Fair.

Floyd White District 8, White District school of Oneonta township, won first place in the elimination county spelling contest yesterday, with only two incorrectly spelled words from the list of fifty submitted. He was followed by a group of close seconds with a record of only three mis-spelled words—Loris Wing of Plainfield; Martha March of Westford; Charles Armstrong of Milford; Iva Minnie Sawyer of Edinboro; Douglas McKee of Butternut; and Emma Edwards, Canadilla. The winners of first place make Floyd White eligible to compete for the \$25 offered at the state fair spelling contest at Syracuse, where he will be royally entertained for two days with all expenses paid.

The contest yesterday was held at 1:30 in the study hall of the Oneonta high school and was conducted by the superintendent of the Training Department of the Normal school, Leon D. Taggart, who had as his assistants five Normal school students, the Misses Helen Rous, Fannabel Sussitky, Marian Lanereau, Margaret Wier and Margaret Onderdonk. District superintendents from the five districts represented at the contest acted as judges. They were: J. B. McManus, Cooperstown; Floyd R. Thayer, Edinboro; Harrison Comaart, Morris; Frederick W. Strong, Schenectady; and J. E. Friedrich, Oneonta.

Among the following fifty words submitted to the contestants "independent" and "translucent" were the only two misspelled by Floyd White. Acknowledged, bachelor, California, duxie, eccentric, familiar, Galilee, Halloween, illegal, joyous, kernel, lamentable, magician, Massachusetts, necessary obnoxious, parallel, quinine, receiver, refrigerator, temperament, unrighteousness, vicious, whatsoever, auto, aeroplane, caretaker, candidacy, coax, deceitful, eighteenth, February, glutton, harbingers, imminent, juicy, khaki, legible, lineament, manufacture ninety, outrageous, parliamentary, reservoir, Schenectady, serviceable, transcendent, Adirondack, anthracite, believer.

Other contestants not already mentioned were: Harold Turner, Ray Camp, Arthur Haines, Rose Bertuzzi, Paul Bannell, Loreta Krichbaum, of Oneonta township; Genevieve Clapper, Worcester; Gerald Rosenthal, Leicester; Emogene Thayer, Middlefield; Mary Hickey, Maryland; Florence Nielsen, Laurens; Virgil Lowe, Morris; Stuart Jeter, Otisco; Grace Hoki, Springfield; Cearle Wadsworth, Burlington; and Mildred Markel, Rosboom.



By James W. Barlow, M.D.

HOW LONG SHOULD YOU LIVE?

One who has lived to the age of 100 years, Dr. Leonard Williams, states that man should really live from 120 to 140 years.

He bases this on the fact that if you estimate the average age of the lower animals in relation to the time it takes them to reach maturity, and apply that formula to man, he is really cheating himself out of fifty years of life.

He attributes this to the fact that man is "gifted" with reason. This reasoning process is his undoing.

With an animal its instinct teaches it what to eat, and the amount to eat. If it has eaten too much, or unwisely, it fasts for a day or two.

What about man?

He looks about for something "different" in his diet, perhaps loads himself up with medicine to counteract his indiscretions in diet. He forgets the fact that he is an animal, the highest type of animal of course, but nevertheless an animal with an animal body.

It needs just the same kind of food, exercise, and rest, as the animal which has no reasoning power, but only instinct to guide it.

It does seem wrong that as men and women walk erect, with dignity over all the animal kingdom, made in God's own image, as we're taught, able to traverse land, sea and sky, that we'll not use good ordinary sense about the care of this wonderful body of ours.

I am sometimes asked to explain why there is such a lack of understanding of the needs of the body, why men and women know less about its functions than about a motor car. It is not hard to explain.

You are in ordinary health, get up in the morning, go about your daily duties, eat your meals and then go to sleep again at night. That body of yours seems to be working all right, so strongly do you not really have to give it any thought.

Its very perfection is your undoing. You know how you have always felt toward the health "frank" you figure him as going by the clock always, up at a certain time, so much of "culture," then a breakfast of so many calories, so many calories to each bite of food, then the outdoor life, the athletic contests, the fun of raw vegetables, and so forth and so on.

The very thought about it, makes you feel glad that you still have your mind at work.

N. W. this fiddler may have had to adopt some regular system for his particular case. But you may go to the other extreme, and because of your perfect health, you may allow your body to get so out of shape that about trying to keep the parts that it is made of.

Any one that reads this can shorten his life.

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A VERBATIM REPORT



FOR THOSE WHO DO NOT HAVE TIME TO READ THE NEWS-PAPERS WE HAVE SUMMED UP THE RESULT OF THE SPEECHES DELIVERED AT THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION IN CLEVELAND

MILK PRICE STILL UNSETTLED.

Committee of Fifteen Meet With Opposition of League Men.

Relative to the conference of milk producers held in Utica on Saturday the press of that city in part says:

Voting down firm opposition of the three Dairyman's League members, the committee of 15 named in this city May 14 to end the milk price war in New York city territory and secure a better price for the farmer, adopted a resolution at Hotel Utica Saturday, expressing sentiment "that the price of Class 1 milk, on and after June 16, be substantially increased."

The resolution was a modification by John J. Dillon, editor of the Rural New Yorker, amending one offered by C. Fred Boshart, Lowellville, of the Sheffield Farms group, recommending the fixing of the price of \$2.33, this being the figure set by the committee May 24 but not adopted by the groups.

Mr. Dillon's amendment, which includes request the league's representatives endeavor to secure approval of their executive committee to the plan of securing an increase was strongly opposed by Henry Burden, Cazenovia, chairman of the committee, and F. H. Tomlinson, Holland Patent, and Charles Luce, New York, league delegates on the committee. These three voted against the resolution. Morgan B. Garlock, Eastern States member, one of the 11 who approved, voted "yes" after first declining to vote. Homer Jones, Homer, an independent, answered "no vote" on a roll call ballot.

The committee meets again at 10:30 a. m. (standard time) at Hotel Utica, June 28, when, under motion by Mr. Garlock, each member may invite others in his group.

Animated discussion marked the gathering, but tense moments were free from rancor and indicated, rather, earnestness of each man to secure the desired result.

Field Exhibition at Grange.

Exhibition of various crops are to be held at the first meeting of every month by the Oneonta Grange according to arrangements recently completed by the committee composed of J. J. DeVoy, Horace Kerr and John Orr. The aim of the project is to effect a standardization of varieties by the members of the organization, a move which it is thought will prove of considerable assistance.

Last week exhibits were of seed potatoes and corn, and much of benefit was received by the members of the Grange.

THE GUIDE POST—BY Henry and Tertius VanDyke

POWER OF FORGIVENESS

There is forgiveness with thee, that thou mayest be feared. — Psalm 130:4.

No experience is more terrible than that of being forgiven.

There is no one we hate more than the man we have wronged.

But if he insists on forgiving us we are overwhelmed with confusion.

A young Christian, working man, told me that he lost a valued tool from his tool kit and recognized it later in the kit of his fellow workman.

Being the only Christian at work in the room he felt it incumbent upon him to show forgiveness.

So he went to the thief and said: "I see you have one of my tools, but you can keep it if you need it."

Then he went on with his work and put the incident out of his mind.

During the next two weeks the thief tried to find a way to give the value of the tool to its rightful owner—once by offering to give him something else of equal value, again by offering to replace the tool with a new one.

The incident closed with a lasting friendship between the two men because, said the thief, "I couldn't stand being forgiven."

There is forgiveness with thee, that thou mayest be feared. — Psalm 130:4.

TWENTY AND THIRTY YEARS AGO

Days of Old Recalled by Items Clipped from The Star Files.

June 11, 1904.

Carl L. Shearer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Shearer, has secured a position as bookkeeper with the Fort Orange club at Albany.

Miss Grace Tabor of West Oneonta, a member of this year's class at the Normal school, has secured a position for next year at Hempstead, L. I.

Gardner Brothers have sold a one-third interest in their laundry business and plant to Alfred G. Thompson, recently of East Meredith, who takes possession July 1. The new firm will be known as the Gardner-Thompson Laundry company.

Those qualifying as sharpshooters at the annual small arms practice of Company G were Captain U. A. Ferguson, Lieutenants F. M. M. Jackson and J. C. Smith, Sergeants A. G. Hotta and C. L. Pruyn, Hospital Corps Attaches S. J. Stone and H. A. Peersall and Private F. L. Moak.

June 11, 1904.

It is gone for good, he having returned to his home here. He reports but little knowledge of the route taken by the thieves.

Ten additional brick masons were put on the Normal building on Saturday. Work is progressing rapidly and Mr. Johnson, the supervising architect, says there is no doubt of the building being ready for the Normal department in September.

The Oneonta Wheel club has commenced preparations for a grand celebration on July 4. The program, while not completed, will include a fantastic parade in the morning; bicycle, potato and sack races, at Pine Grove Riding Park in the afternoon; and fireworks in the evening.

Let it be understood that the humped-back style of bicycling is now wholly optional. It is a matter of handles. The back-humping handle represents the machine as it is formed for racing. A racing man, like a camel or a jack-rabbit, has to hump himself for speed. But handles can be put on any machine which will enable the rider to sit up like a happy, healthy and independent American gentleman out for pleasure and not for business. There is no excuse for the hunched-back off the racing track.

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IN THE SURROGATE COURT

Proceedings Before Judge Sheldon H. Close, in Oneonta, Yesterday.

Estate of Thomas Kelly, late of Oneonta. Proceeding for proof of will. Depositions taken, will admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted. Claude V. Smith, Esq., attorney for petitioner.

Estate of Anna A. Cummings late of Oneonta. Proceeding to prove will. Depositions taken, will admitted to probate, and letters testamentary granted. Owen C. Becker, Esq., attorney for petitioner.

Estate of Chloë M. Ashworth, late of Oneonta. Proceeding to prove will. Depositions taken—will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted. W. I. Bolton, Esq., attorney for petitioner.

Estate of Matt. Marvija, late of the town of Westford—proceeding to prove will. Order granted. L. J. Barnes, Esq., attorney for petitioner; James P. Friery, Esq., special guardian for infants.

Estate of Benjamin G. Ackley late of Oneonta. Proceeding for judicial settlement. Decree entered. Frank C. Huntington, Esq., attorney for petitioner; D. J. Kilkenny, Esq., special guardian.

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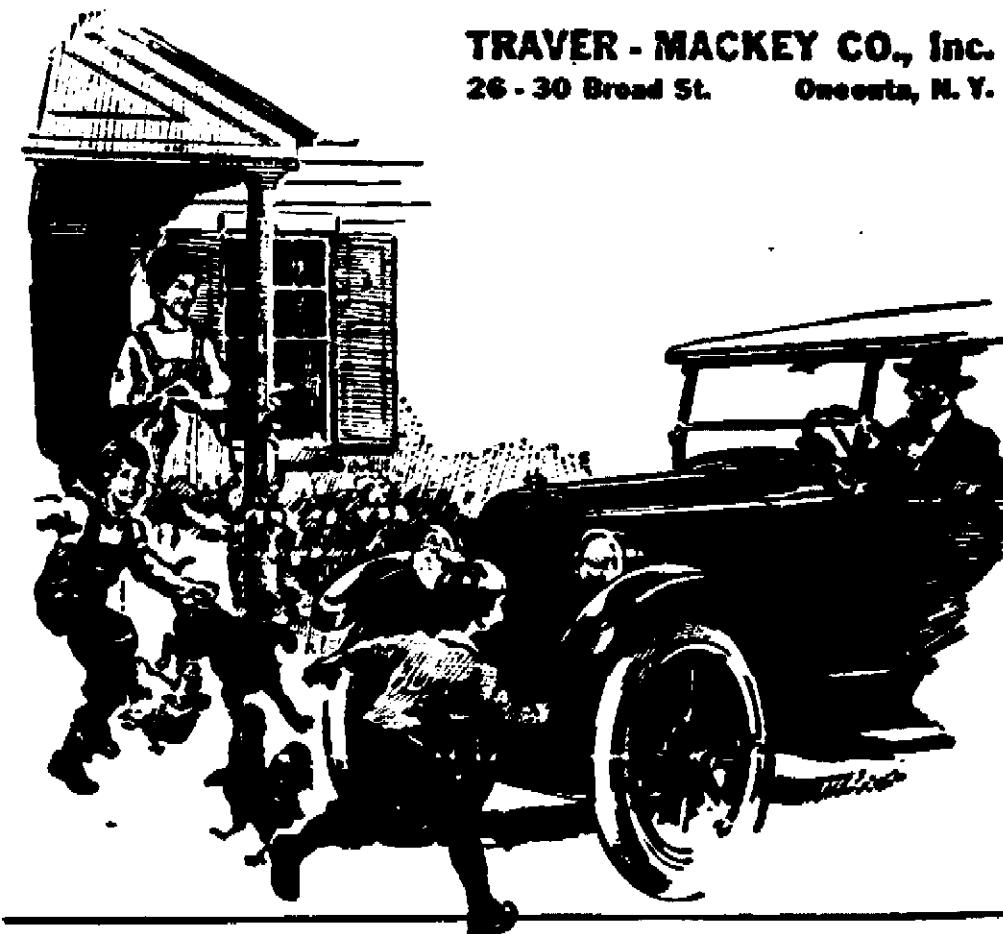
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LOCAL MENTION

—Lady Ann Azgabetian will address an assembly of the High school to be held this morning, and the regular luncheon of Oneonta Kiwanis to be held this noon.

—Members of the G. A. R. will be provided transportation to and from the banquet at the armory this evening if they will leave their names at Collier's real estate office.

—Mrs. E. J. MacEwan is assisting at the Chamber of Commerce office while Miss Carolyn Steadman is on a vacation. Miss Steadman is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Beach, at Tallmadge, Ohio.

—After a short business meeting yesterday the Woman's Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church was adjourned that the members might attend the address given by Lady Ann at the First Presbyterian church.

—The Oneonta Giants will be idle today. On Thursday and Friday Glens Falls will play here. The games with Larry Doyle's team last year were among the best of the season and Oneonta fans will be given a real treat tomorrow and Friday.

—Oneonta post of the American Legion has secured the Georgia Melodians to furnish the music for the annual Armistice ball. The music furnished by the Melodians at the Armistice ball last November has been the talk of the city ever since.

—At a meeting of the Business Women's club held last evening and following an interesting and inspiring address by Lady Ann Azgabetian it was decided that the club should undertake the care of two Armenian children for a year, bringing the total for the day to three.

—There were 14 babies present at the clinic held at the Community house yesterday afternoon. Three of these had not attended a previous clinic and of these three two were from out of town, one being from West Oneonta and the other from Hartwick. Dr. L. S. House, who had charge of the clinic, was assisted by Miss Swackhammer.

—Lady Ann Azgabetian will give an address in the assembly hall of St. Mary's school on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited. Lady Ann is a talented speaker with a real message from the Near East and what she will have to say of her experiences as an Armenian refugee and of the needs of the suffering people of that country will be well worth hearing.

—The following organizations have been invited to attend the banquet and flag dedication to be held at the armory this evening by the American Legion auxiliary and their officers: G. A. R., Woman's Relief corps, United Spanish War Veterans, U. S. W. V. auxiliary, D. A. R., American Legion and American Legion auxiliary. The banquet will be held at 8 o'clock.

—George E. Briggs of Peekskill, past grand high priest of Royal Arch Masons, paid an official visit to Oneonta chapter, R. A. M., Monday evening as a representative of Grand High Priest Frederick Dutcher of Rochester. Mr. Briggs gave an address of much interest and importance to Masons. During the evening the Most Excellent degree was worked. Prior to the convocation a most excellent dinner was served by Martha chapter, Order of the Eastern Star.

Meetings Today

The members of E. D. Farmer Woman's Relief corps will meet at the trolley station this evening at 5:45 to go to the armory to attend the banquet and dedication of flags given by the American Legion auxiliary. Please wear badges.

Regular meeting of the W. B. A. O. T. M. will be held tonight, in I. O. O. F. hall, at 7:30 o'clock, after which will follow a night cap social. Every lady please bring two caps. The public is cordially invited. Everybody come.

Regular business meeting of W. C. T. U. will be held in the Community house this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All group leaders are urged to be present.

Regular meeting of the L. O. O. M. tonight at 8 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Veteran Firemen this evening at 8 o'clock.

Postponed Meeting

The meeting of the South Side Home bureau will be postponed until next week.

DuMont Reunion

The DuMont reunion will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kitzpatrick, 1100 W. Main, Wednesday, June 26. Each family is requested to furnish its own cups, forks, spoons and sandwiches; also one other article of food. James W. Avery, secretary.

Sherman, the druggist, sold 13 bottles of Royal Digesto in a single day. The sales are steadily increasing. Have you had your bottle yet?

Big dance tonight at Jay's hall. Music by Pease's Delphi orchestra. Bus leaves corner of Main and Chestnut streets at 9 o'clock this evening.

Now is the Time

To have your piano tuned. Call C. E. Beaman, 1234, Oneonta, N. Y.

Have your car washed at your own home. Work guaranteed. Phone 441-4 or 440. Robert Marshall, Warren, Plumber.

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Buy your summer drinks at Palmer's grocery. We have ginger ale, grape juice, Redwhey, Utes, etc. and vichy water.

See Sherman night. Fine lake. Thursday, June 26. Old fashioned country dance.

Fancy tomato plants for sale at Palmer's grocery.

PATRIOTIC EVENT

American Legion Auxiliary to Dedicate Colors Tonight at State Armory—Invitation to Friends Community.

What is expected to be one of the most interesting and inspiring patriotic events in the history of Oneonta will take place at the state armory this evening when the auxiliary to Oneonta post of the American Legion will dedicate its recently acquired stand of colors. A banquet to which all of the veterans' organizations in the city have been invited will be served at 6 o'clock and at 8 o'clock the dedication ceremony will take place. The general public is cordially invited to the latter event.

The banquet will be served under the supervision of Mrs. Louis Glens, chairman of the kitchen committee, and Mrs. J. R. Peters, chairman of the dining room committee. Members of the American Legion will do the serving. It is expected that there will be fully 200 at the banquet, including members of the G. A. R., the Woman's Relief Corps, the United Spanish War Veterans, the U. S. W. V. auxiliary, the Daughters of the American Revolution, the American Legion and the Legion auxiliary. A most tasteful menu has been prepared.

The program for the dedication ceremony is elaborate and very interesting. Addresses will be given by Mrs. Arnold E. Hopkins, president of the auxiliary; Rev. J. A. Judge, Rev. Dr. John W. Flynn and Dr. George W. Augustin. There will be recitations by William Hoyt, Jr., Mrs. J. R. Peters, and Mrs. Frank J. Helm and vocal selections by a quartet composed of Mrs. Harry Finch, Miss Annie Waters, Byron H. Chesbro and Jerry B. Wilson. Mrs. Murdock's orchestra will play.

Mrs. W. H. Hoyt is chairman of the general committee in charge of the event.

PHILIP MASON KILLED

Former Oneonta Resident Fatally Injured When Struck by Car in Front of Gloverville Home.

Philip Mason, who conducted the Bell Clothing company store here some years ago, was fatally injured when struck by an automobile in front of his home in Gloverville Saturday morning. The family, whose original name, Mazurisky, was changed by court action to Mason during their residence here, consisted at that time of Mr. and Mrs. Mason, two sons, Alexander and Benjamin, and a daughter, Dorothy.

A Gloverville paper had the following to say of the accident: "Philip Mason, sixty-two, No. 625 Madison street, was fatally injured early this morning, when he was struck in front of his home by an automobile driven by Frank Smith, No. 411 Bradley street."

"Mason died a half hour later after the accident at the Hospital of the Good Shepherd, of a fractured skull. "Smith was taken to police headquarters by Detective Louis McMahon, and is being held on an open charge pending an investigation by Coroner S. Ellis Crane."

"According to police reports, Smith was riding in the automobile of Julius Freeman of No. 120 Furman street, Mason with Freeman, his son-in-law, was returning to his home, following an automobile trip, when he was directly in the path of Smith's car. Miss L. M. Levitt, residing at the Y. W. C. A., was riding with Smith, and corroborated his statement to the police. She was later released and told to appear tomorrow morning.

"The body of Mason has been removed to the county morgue."

SOLOIST AT THEATRE

Miss Louise Collins Nhare, Coloratura Soprano, Week-End Attraction.

Miss Louise Collins Nhare, a well known coloratura soprano, is to appear at the Oneonta theatre for the week-end, beginning on Thursday, in program of operatic and well known selections which promises to be a true attraction. She comes to Oneonta from a winter concert tour, upon which she was very well received by the critics of many of the larger cities and her appearance in Oneonta is an event in the musical year.

Miss Collins is possessed of a high, clear and flexible voice, and as well as a pleasing personality, which, in combination, it is hoped by the management of the theatre, will prove a drawing card. There will be no advance in prices.

To Attend U. C. T. Convention

The following leave today for Newburgh to attend the annual state convention of the United Commercial Travelers: Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Walling, Mr. and Mrs. H. Spencer Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hotelling, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Bailey and Charles H. Bowdish. Mr. Rowe and Mr. Bowdish are state officers, the former being grand past councillor and Mr. Bowdish, chairman of the grand finance committee. The convention will come to Oneonta at 10 o'clock Thursday morning and will adjourn on Saturday.

It's a Burn Fry

That so many of us can't have patience and realize what small amounts of money do when controlled by safe state laws and Uncle Sam. If we would take as to how thousands of won't tumbler have let me safely roll their small amounts up to several million dollars at six per cent compound interest, we'll have to pass the hat and pay bigger taxes for poor houses. Rate, it sure does make me tired, as I have all the care and worry, without any commissions, rake off or his salaries. Help me wake people up. I'm the safe and sane Oneonta Building and Loan association.

One Acre Poultry Farm for Exchange Located on state road near this city. Six room cottage and barn, there poultry houses, lots of fruit, all improvements in building, including electric lights. Will exchange for Oneonta residence property. Campbell Bros.

We still have a good assortment of material for porch boxes, baskets, vases, etc., and will fill your requirements, or deliver the plants in any quantity desired. Derrick, florist, Theatre building.

Fish Special

Special catch of week and blue fish, mackerel, sea bream, etc. E. J. fish market, 3 Wall street.

FLAG DAY PROCLAMATION

The 14th day of June of each year is designated as Flag Day, and it is proper and fitting that special attention be given to a proper observance of the day by displaying at our homes and business places our flag. Particular attention is called to Flag Day this year, because of the fact that the Boy Scouts of the Otsego-Schoharie district will assemble in our city on Saturday, June 14. Let us show our deep respect for our Boy Scouts by decorating our homes and business places with the stars and stripes.

W. Irving Bolton,
Mayor.

MISSIONARY MEETING

Election of Officers Features Last Meeting of Woman's Home Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church.

The last regular meeting until September, of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the First Methodist Episcopal church was held yesterday in the church parlors from 2:30 until 5:30 o'clock. The principal business of the afternoon was the election of officers for the coming year. Mrs. L. B. Green was re-elected president; Mrs. W. I. Bolton, recording secretary; Mrs. Clark Friebel, corresponding secretary; Miss Minnie Goodrich, treasurer; Mrs. B. Todd, first vice president; Mrs. W. M. Hickok, second vice president; Mrs. H. W. Lee, third vice president; Mrs. Charles J. Beams, fourth vice president.

On the second Tuesday of July the society is to give a picnic at Wilber park, to which all other societies of the church are invited. Mrs. John Todd was elected chairman of the picnic committee with Mrs. Earl Hoyt as chairman of the sports committee.

Two attractive pictures, one to be used for a girls' room and one for a boys', were sent to the Wyoming conference Children's home at Binghamton. The society voted to renew its subscription for forty copies of the "Children's Home Missions," a paper to be used by the Home Guards.

At the close of the business meeting Miss Nettie Murdock and Mrs. Earl Hoyt gave a talk, "Chinese Girls Enslaved," and Miss Daisy Horton sang two solos. Supper was served at 5:30 to about one hundred and fifty church members.

FRIDAY, THE THIRTEENTH

Oneonta Merchants to Hold Another Big Cooperative Bargain Day in Drive for Wider Trading Territory.

Another of the big cooperative trade days of Oneonta merchants is to be held on Friday of this week as a means of further extending the trading territory of this city and practically every merchant of the city is participating in the event, promising all those who plan to visit the city wealth of bargains in every line of merchandise. Those who are in the habit of purchasing in Oneonta, too, will find even greater bargains than are ordinarily offered in The Star in the issue of Thursday when the announcements for the sale will be made.

The Friday the Thirteenth sale are original with Oneonta and for that reason even greater stress will be placed on the sale for this month. Doubtless all residents are now familiar with the plan of merchants of this city for one big cooperative trade day each month, and certainly many are familiar with the bargains to be secured on those days.

Oneonta merchants are open in their aim on that day, to offer such bargains as will draw the attention of an ever widening circle of customers to the exceptional values offered in this city.

Big Encampment Meeting Friday

P. P. Cooper encampment of this city will hold another big meeting here on Friday evening when a class of local candidates as well as many from Grand Gorge will receive the Patriarchal degree, conferred by the degree team of Grand Gorge encampment. Following the meeting refreshments will be served.

Accompanying the degree team will be a delegation of patriarchs of Grand Gorge to the number of probably 50, and several are expected from other encampments of this vicinity.

Births

Born, Thursday, June 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wasson of 2 Factory street, a six and a quarter pound daughter, Pearl Martha.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Spurny of Springfield Center early Monday morning, a daughter, Madge Rosina. Mrs. Spurny will be better remembered as Miss Rosina White, a former student at the Oneonta State Normal school and a sister of Mrs. Lynn Breese of this city.

Main Street Baptist Ladies' Circle

The annual meeting of the circle will be held today at 2:30 p. m. in Wilber park, weather permitting. If rainy, they will meet in the church as usual.

Will all members of the four divisions who were defeated in the dance contest please bring cups and silver for themselves and one guest.

Center Street School Bank

The Center Street school gives the following report of their banking system at the close of the school year. The total deposits amount to the sum of \$2,932.92. This makes the average about \$9 per pupil. The children are highly gratified with the aggregate of their savings.

On Look, Ma

Here's our chance at last. Two-family house, three car garage, all modern improvements. Large lot on one of best streets. \$7,100. \$300 cash and the rest will make the monthly payments. Call the Mrs. C. H. Pease-agency, 3 Pine street. Phone 322.

Peggy O'Neil Dances

Have just received a complete new line of dresses, including summer suits, crepe, rayon, flannel, etc. We think these dresses unusually attractive. May we show them to you? Dora S. Richardson, 1 Elm street, upstairs.

The Children's National Bank

and Trust company pays 4 per cent on time interest deposits. Send in your deposit box in this bank. advt 1

IN RE ADULT RECREATION

Meeting This Evening at Community House, with Special Reference to Appreciation of Music.

It will be remembered that the whole matter of adult recreation in Oneonta received a much needed inspiration last summer by the visit of representatives of the Playground and Recreation Association of America, who came to our city and gave a series of lessons in leadership in games and plays in the high school gymnasium during the first week in July. A considerable number of our citizens interested themselves in this recreational activity at that time, and these and others will be pleased to learn that a movement is on foot under the same auspices to bring additional recreational programs to this city, along more permanent lines and of a special interest to those who have an appreciation of music.

Musical programs in connection with adult recreation, and a development of musical appreciation in communities are now part of the regular program of those who are maintaining social centers in many New York cities. Oneonta citizens who are interested in seeing a growing appreciation of music developed here and are willing to co-operate toward the accomplishment of this desirable end, are cordially invited to meet at the Community house this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A representative of the Playground and Recreation Association of America will be present and practical plans and suggestions will be presented for consideration.

ALL SET FOR SCOUT RALLY

Boys From All Over Otsego and Schoharie Counties to Assemble Here on Saturday.

Final preparations for the big Scout rally to be held in Oneonta on Saturday next were completed at a meeting last evening of the rally committee. Some minor details are yet to be worked out but in the main everything is set for the biggest demonstration of boy power that Otsego and Schoharie counties have ever known.

It is expected that every troop in the two counties comprising the council will send good-sized delegations to the rally. The boys will commence arriving in the morning and luncheon will be served to them at noon on the fair grounds.

A big parade through the streets of the city will be one of the features of the day's program. It will be followed by games, tests and contests of various sorts on the fair grounds. The boys have been practicing for weeks for these contests and Oneontans are due to witness some surprising things on Saturday.

Many people are particular about their food. Good, wholesome meals usually satisfy. Baker's certified flavoring extracts are made for particular people.

Mark Twain

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Preparing the Prosecution



Three of the prosecutors who will present the state case in the trial of Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, Chicago's boy killers. They are left to right: Milton Smith, Joseph Savage and John Flanagan.

OBITUARY OF R. M. KEMP

Funeral Services for Well Known Merced Resident Held Sunday.

West Merced, June 10.—Robert M. Kemp, one of the best known farmers of the town of Merced, died at his home in West Merced, June 9, after an illness of about three weeks, although he had been in declining health for a period of about four years.

Funeral services were held from his late home Sunday afternoon with Rev. Forrest H. Edwards of Trevellick officiating, and were largely attended. Included in the many floral tributes were beautiful pieces from the Delaware Presbyterian and one from the West Delhi church. Members of the latter church acted as bearers. Burial was made in the Outlook Valley cemetery at Franklin. Among those in attendance were John A. Kemp of White Plains, William C. Kemp of East Orange, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt and son of Endicott, Mr. and Mrs. George Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. William Horton and Mrs. Rufus Bennett of Unadilla, besides many from Oneonta, Hamilton, Franklin, Andes and Delhi, and many from the vicinity.

Mr. Kemp was born at West Merced, August 11, 1856, the son of David and Ellen McMurray, and was the last of a family of eight children. January 28, 1879, he was united in marriage with Marion D. Sutherland who survives him, besides two children, Leslie Kemp and Miss Nellie Kemp, both of whom live at home.

In 1880 Mr. Kemp bought the home where he had since resided and where he died. For many years he had been a member of the West Delhi United Presbyterian church and was an elder of that church at the time of his death.

He was a man of sterling character and strong religious convictions, and his genial nature won for him the friendship of those who will unite in mourning his death and in expressions of sympathy to the family. He was a kind father, neighbor and friend, always ready to assist in times of need with cheering words and substantial deeds.

Oneonta Graduate of R. P. I.
At the commencement exercises of the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, at Troy, to be held Friday, the degree of electrical engineer will be conferred upon Russell Myers Havard, son of I. B. Havard of this city. The Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute is the oldest school of engineering in America and will celebrate the centennial of its foundation the coming October.

To know how good a coffee really can be made you must try Klinko. The rich, mild flavor of this high grade coffee pleases every one. advt 41

MEMBERS FOR FIFTY YEARS

Chicago County Medical Society Gives Fiftieth Anniversary of Dr. Pomeroy and Swanson at Meeting in Cooperstown.

The semi-annual meeting of the Chicago County Medical Society was held yesterday at the N. Y. Hotel in Cooperstown. At the morning session the regular business of the society was transacted and a committee of five, of which Dr. F. H. Mox is chairman, was appointed to arrange for the annual meeting of the Sixth District Society, which will be held in Oneonta in October.

Resolutions of respect were also passed in honor of the late Dr. J. W. Pomeroy, who for years had been a prominent physician of Cooperstown and a loyal member of the society.

At this session also it was voted that Dr. S. G. Pomeroy of West Oneonta and Dr. J. W. Swanson of Springfield Center, each of whom had maintained fifty years of membership in the life members of the society, except from all further dues. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

At the lunch hour Mrs. Swanson was presented with a large floral bouquet and a similar tribute was sent to Dr. and Mrs. Pomeroy, who were unable to be present.

At the afternoon session Dr. Julian C. Smith of Oneonta paid a brief but feeling tribute of fraternal appreciation to Dr. Pomeroy, saying in part: "Next month he will be 75 years of age and for fifty-two years of his life he has practiced medicine in his present location giving a life of service to his community the extent and scope of which it is impossible to estimate in human appraisal. The spontaneous expressions one hears among his people tell of the love and esteem they have for him. He has ministered to their physical ills, has aided them financially and in every way possible to be of service to them. He has given them the best within his power to render. No night was ever too cold or road too rough to deter him from going to the relief of some one in distress, and this always without question as to the financial status of the patient, his deeds of unselfish kindness making a place for him in the hearts of his patients which will for any successor be most difficult to fill."

Continuing, Dr. Smith spoke from the professional side; and from an acquaintance of thirty-five years with this doctor of the medical profession in southern Ontario, if not in the country as a whole, paying highest tribute to him personally and to the value of his advice in consultation, which was often asked and as often freely given. "We do not bring him any token of bronze or marble, but a garland of flowers, symbolic of the sentiment in our hearts which will endure forever."

Tribute to Dr. Swanson.
A not less heartfelt tribute of respect and appreciation for Dr. Swanson was paid by Dr. J. F. Atwell of Cooperstown, who spoke of the service to his community of the revered physician of Springfield Center, of his interest in the society of which for half a century he had been an active member, and of his activities in political, fraternal and civic life; and in conclusion wished for him many more years of active life in the community, which owes him so large a debt as its conservator of public health.

It is a notable fact in connection with each of the two physicians that the whole of his active professional life was spent in one town, Dr. Swanson in Springfield Center and Dr. Pomeroy in West Oneonta.

Dr. Bancroft of New York, who was on his way to Buffalo and stopped with his friend, Dr. Bissell, for the purpose of giving a talk to the society, spoke on "Fractures and Their Treatment." The address, unusually interesting, was illustrated by lantern slides.

Dinner at Jay's hall, Davenport Center, Wednesday evening. Music by Pease's Delhi orchestra. Bus leaves corner Main and Chestnut streets at 9 p. m.

Shower for Miss Anna Hush.
A variety shower was given, Miss Anna Hush, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Woodward at the home of Mrs. A. C. Woodward, Franklin street. Miss Hush received many useful articles, including linen, cut glass and silverware. Cards, music and dancing were enjoyed and dainty refreshments were served. The marriage of Miss Hush to John Butler will take place on June 18.

Entertain Children at Wilber Park.
Mrs. Ernest Bond and Mrs. Florence Cross entertained a party of children at Wilber park Tuesday afternoon, June 10, it being the birthday of their daughters, Marjorie Bond and Evelyn Cross. Refreshments were served and games were enjoyed by the youngsters. Both received many gifts.

Personal

A. Shufelt of 6 Pondia avenue is a guest of a friend, Lewis Hagen of Albany, for a few days.

Mrs. E. J. Hurlburt of Oneonta and guest, Miss Madelyn Wells, of Albany, were callers in town yesterday.

Mrs. A. H. Ackley of Watkins avenue departed yesterday morning for a visit with relatives in Rutland, Vt.

Mrs. Margaret Cole of Albany returned home Tuesday after a visit with Mrs. Claudine Price of 120 Main street.

James Nelson, a student at the Fordham Law school, New York city, is at his home here for the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Dishrow left last Thursday for Denver, Col., to spend several weeks with their son, Alexander.

Mrs. Spencer Stern of Saratoga Springs returned home Tuesday after a visit with Mrs. Ray Palmer, 18 Church street.

William H. Loun is in Binghamton taking the degree in South Hill, Missouri at the session of Oneonta College, A. A. S. R.

Mrs. Harry Edmunds and Jack Honek left last evening for Chicago, where they will be guests of relatives and friends for three weeks.

Mrs. L. C. Denney and children left Tuesday morning for Enosburg Falls, Vermont, where they will spend the summer with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stetson.

Mrs. Ansel Warner and children of Albany, whom the death of the former's father, Husted Moore, brought last week to East Merced, were in Oneonta yesterday on their way home.

Miss Frederick Martin, librarian of the Trinity Mission home library in New York, returned to the metropolis Tuesday after a few days spent with her mother, Mrs. George H. Wilber of this city.

Mrs. M. P. Vandusen of New York, who has been spending some time at the home of George Coats in Colliers, was in Oneonta yesterday. Mrs. Vandusen will leave this week for Cairo, where she will spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Russell are in New York city attending the commencement exercises of New York university, from which their son, Kenneth, having successfully completed a four year course, will graduate from the business course this week.

R. J. Walsh of 44 Maple street left yesterday morning for Albany, where he was called by the death of his brother, Oliver Walsh, 52 years of age. The funeral services for the deceased will be held at St. Joseph's church, that city, on Thursday morning.

Miss Pauline Kluegel of Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, who had been a guest in Oneonta for several days of Miss Katherine Roman, who was her classmate at the Boston School of Physical Education, left yesterday for San Francisco, Cal., whence she sails in a short time for her island home.

F. L. Thayer has returned to this city after having been in Rochester attending the graduation exercises of the Rochester School of Optometry. His son, Vaughn L. Thayer, was a member of the class. The young man will leave for Columbus, O., this week to try the state board examinations for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn W. Hathaway left yesterday morning for a two weeks' sojourn in Buffalo, Detroit and Ann Arbor, Mich., and Chicago, Ill. In Ann Arbor Mr. Hathaway will attend the reunion of the class of 1904 Law school of the University of Michigan. The Hathaways were accompanied to Detroit by Mrs. Anna E. Gardner, who will visit her daughters, the Misses Emaline and Lucy Gardner, who are instructors in the schools of that city. Miss Lucy Gardner will sail June 26 from Montreal for a summer visit to countries of the old world.

Parshall Hospital Notes.
Louis L. Crozier of 52 Maple street Saturday underwent an operation at the Parshall hospital for the relief of strangulated hernia. The operation was performed by Dr. Latcher, assisted by Drs. Brinkman and Getman, and Mr. Crozier is rallying nicely.

A nine and one-half pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eckerson of East Worcester at the hospital on Friday. Both mother and child are doing well.

Adelbert Filer of Utica was brought to the hospital on Friday by Dr. Fox of Gilbertsville and an operation for appendicitis was performed. His condition was reported as good last evening.

Robert C. Roseboom of Schenectady was brought to the hospital by Dr. Hart Winsor of that village, that he might receive treatment.

Flashby-Richards Family Reunion.
The Flashby and Richards families will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hargis, three miles from South Valley, on June 28. All relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend. Please bring refreshments and dishes.

The Italian people of Oneonta and vicinity will celebrate St. Michael's feast with fireworks and band music on August 16 at Neahwa park. A \$500 display of fireworks will be shown; two manufacturers competing for a \$100 prize for best display. The residents of Oneonta are requested to contribute sums to any amount desired towards expenses.

A. Sabatini,
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J. Madaloni,
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Card of Thanks.
We wish to thank all friends for the flowers sent and many kindnesses shown us during our recent bereavement, also for care furnished.

Mrs. H. L. Moore,
Lottie Moore,
Mrs. Anson Warner.

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LEGION ELECTS DELEGATES

Chambers Representative to County Convention in August in Cooperstown.

Delegates and alternates to the county convention to be held in Cooperstown in August were elected at the regular monthly meeting last evening of Oneonta post of the American Legion, the last meeting until September. The delegates are Commander Loman F. DeLaMater, Judge Sheldon H. Close, Raymond Tucker, Rev. J. A. Judge, Walter M. Goldsmith and Ambrose J. Boland. The alternates are Howard E. Tucker, R. H. Brooks, Clayton H. VanTassel, Arnold E. Hopkins, Ernest Walker and Matthew Newcomb.

It was voted at the meeting to present the city with a flag for the court room. It was felt by the Legionnaires that there should be a flag in the room where are made possible the rights and liberty guaranteed by the flag.

It was announced that the Legion troop of boy scouts has been organized and now has eighteen members. Robert Johnson is the Scoutmaster.

Following the meeting a delicious luncheon of fruit salad, sandwiches and coffee was served by Mess Sergeant Albert T. Winn.

Guests from Windsor.
Mrs. E. E. Kilmer entertained old time friends of her girlhood from Windsor Sunday; Mrs. Albert Spearbeck and daughter, Mrs. Maude Beavens and her two sons and Miss Inez Beavens. One of Miss Beavens' scholars from Kirkwood was also present. All reported a good time.

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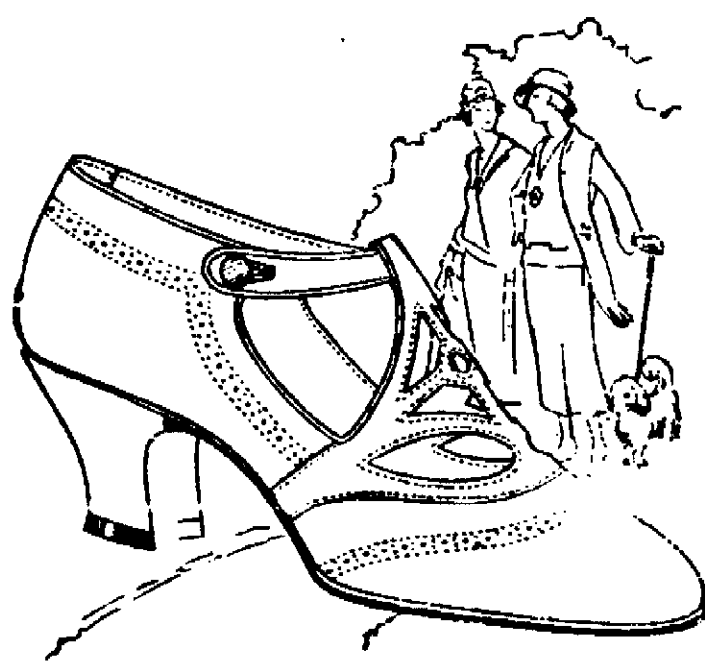
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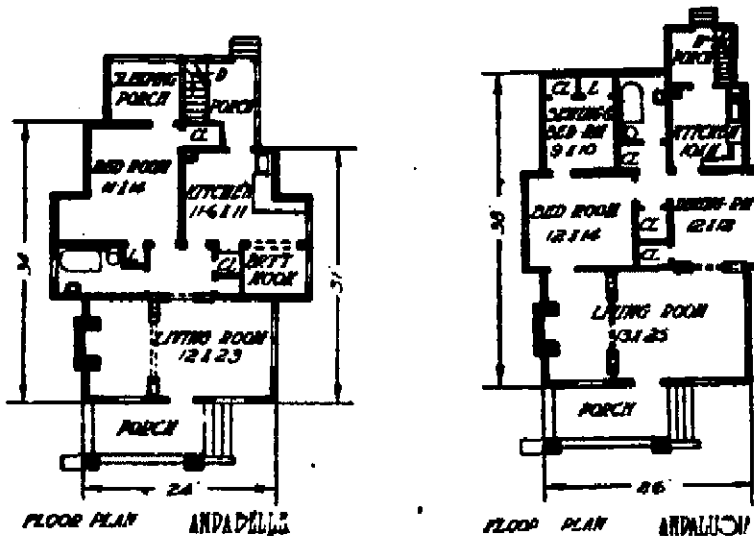
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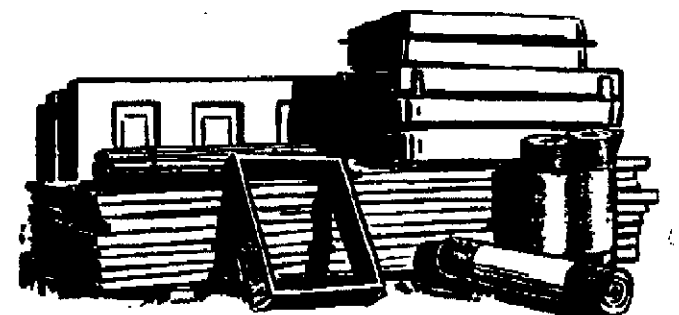
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